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GENEALOGY OF A BRANCH OF THE FROHLICH
FAMILY WHICH EMIGRATED FROM HESSE-
CASSEL (NOW THE PRUSSIAN PROVINCE OF
HESSE-NASSAU), GERMANY, TO AMERICA IN
1855.

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DEDICATED

to

My maternal Greatgrandparents, George
and Anna Christina (Zimmer) Frohlich,
who braved the stormy seas in a sail-
ing vessel in 1855-56 to come to
America.

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HISTORY AND MEANING OF THE SURNAME

FROHLICH.

According to the German dictionary, the word "Frohlich" (Adjective and adverb) means Joyous, joyful; gay, blithsome; jovial; merry; frolicsome; gladsome.

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Heintze-Cascorbi's DIE DEUTSCHEN FAMILIENNAMEN, 7. Aufl. Halle/S., Buchh. d. Waisenhauses, 1944, S. 202a.

"The name Froehlich is explained either as a name of the Class I, that is, as a personal name of native, i.e., old Germanic, and pre-Christian origin, derived from the root Frodas, to which is made reference; or as a name of Class III, that is a name belonging to the youngest group of surnames, derived from the names of places or occupations.

Under the ancient Germanic word Frodas, the I, standing for Class I, is followed by the different forms this word assumed; the Gothic Frotha, Old High German Fruot, Middle High German Vruot, Old Saxon Frod, and the Latin word of same root, Prudens. Then is given its meaning as "verstandig, weise" - in English "Intelligent, Judicious, Wise, Prudent."

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FROHLICH
COATS-OF-ARMS

<u>FROLICH (FROHLICH):</u>	Baviere.	(an 17 Dec. 1821). D'arg. au cep de vigne de sin., fruite de trois pieces au naturel et pose sur un tertre du sec; le- champ chape-ploye d'azur, charge a dextre d'une girouette d'arge., a senestre d'un soleil d'or. Casque couronne. Cimier. le soleil, entre un vol. coupe alternativement d'azur et d'arg.			
<u>FROLICH:</u>	Prusse.	De gueules au arf elance au naturel; l'ecu bordo d'or. Cas- que couronne. Cimier. le cerf, issant. Lam- brequins. d'or, de gueules et de sa.			
<u>FROLICH:</u>	Baviere.	Parti de'or et de sa; a un homme, la tote de carnation habille d'unne soutane de l'un en l'autre, le bras senestre etendu. Cimier: la figure issant.			
<u>FROLICH:</u>	Silesia	x	x		x

THE
CITY OF
NEW YORK

IN SENATE,
January 11, 1901.

REPORT
OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF THE
LAND OFFICE,
IN RESPONSE TO A
RESOLUTION PASSED
BY THE SENATE,
MAY 1, 1899,
AND BY THE ASSEMBLY,
JUNE 1, 1899,
RELATIVE TO THE
LANDS BELONGING TO
THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

ALBANY:
J. B. LIPPINCOTT & CO.,
PRINTERS,
1899.

1.
1. GEORGE FROHLICH

Born in Robens Housa, Hesse-Cassel (now the Prussian Province of Hesse-Nassau), Germany, on April 16, 1816; came to America alone in 1855 on a sailing ship and established a home in Vermilion, Erie County, Ohio. Here he operated a brick yard on what is now (1960) West Lake Road in the town of Vermilion, Ohio. He died in Vermilion, Ohio, on February 23, 1871.

About 1835, in Robens Housa, now the Prussian Province of Hesse-Nassau, Germany, he married Anna Christina Zimmer, born in Robens Housa on December 8, 1816; died in their old log cabin on their farm in Erie County, Ohio, on now what is Stanley Road, on January 24, 1892. Her funeral was held in the German Reformed Church, Vermilion, Ohio.

Both are buried in the Maple Grove Cemetery, Axtel, Erie Co., Ohio.

She came to America with the children in January 1856, on a sailing vessel, the trip, due to severe storms, took two months, and one of the children died and was buried at sea.

On November 12, 1867, he purchased a small farm of six acres on the north side of Stanley Road, about 800 ft. east of Barmen Road, in Vermilion Twp., Erie Co., Ohio, where they lived for many years. His wife's sister, Margaretha (Zimmer) Adams lived across the road from them.

In later years the girls were married under the name of Frohlich, but the boys changed to the English equivalent "Frailey".

Frailey Road, running north and south in Vermilion Township, Erie Co., Ohio, is said to have been named after this family.

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CHILDREN: (All born in Robens Housa, Hesse-Cassel (now Prussian Province of Hesse-Nassau), Germany.

CHRISTINA BARBARA

b. May 22, 1837

d. Feb. 21, 1907, Vermilion, Erie Co., O.

m. 1858, Henry Nelding

b. March 29, 1831 in Germany.

d. July 13, 1895, Brownhelm Twp., Lorain Co., O.

They were married in Milan Twp., Erie Co., O.

Both belonged to the German Reformed Church in Vermilion, Ohio.

They lived most of their lives on their farm on Vermilion Road, Brownhelm Twp., Lorain Co., O.

Children: Mary; John Henry; Anna; Minnie; Lena; William; Nicholas; Louis O.; Edward; David; Magdalena; George N.

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STARS

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CHILDREN: (cont.)

MARY

b. October 30, 1840
d. 1910, Vermilion, Erie Co., O.
m. Dec. 24, 1857, Nicholas Fischer
b. 1836, in Germany
d. Jan. 11, 1903, Vermilion, O.
Both buried in Maple Grove Cemetery, Axtel, Erie Co., O.
He was a member of the Masonic Lodge.
Children: George; Simon; Alice and Anna, twins; Henry N.;
Lydia; Charley; Minnie C.

CATHERINE

b. Feb. 3, 1843
d. Dec. 27, 1910, at 12:30 p.m., heart attack.
m. Sept. 2, 1860, Nicholas Baatz
b. Feb. 15, 1829, Haller, Grand Duchy of Luxemburg.
d. June 14, 1903, Florence Twp., Erie Co., Ohio.
He came to America on June 5, 1851, age 22.
Maternal grandparents of Mr. Claude C. Hamel, compiler
of this genealogy.
Children: Emma Jane; George; Mary Barbara; Lucy Nellie
(mother of C. C. Hamel); Henry; Margaretha; John;
Karl; Peter; Karl Nathan; William; Rosa Edith;
Alice Caroline; Susanna.
(See Baatz genealogy for this family by C. C. Hamel)

Girl (Name
unknown)

b.
d. Dec. 1855, at sea, while enroute from Germany and buried
at sea.

2. JOHN

b. Sept. 29, 1849
d. Sept. 23, 192_, Vermilion, O.
Bachelor.
He operated his father's brickyard for many years, and
roomed at the home of his cousin, Mrs. Anna (Neiding)
(Leidheiser) Jaeger.

3. ADAM

b. March 30, 1855
d.
1st.m. , to E.M. Margaretha Blattner
b. May 13, 1855
d. April 28, 1877, of scarlet fever.
2nd.m. , to Minnie Davis
b.
d.
Divorced.
3rd.m. , to Mrs. Barbara (Unger) Lang
b. 1858
d. 1935, Vermilion, O.
No children first two marriages; 3d m. Anna Fay, who
md. Don Lawless.
Adam was killed by a train on the Decatur St. crossing
in Vermilion, O.

3. ADAM FRAILEY³ - George¹

Born in Robens Housa, Hesse-Cassel (now in the Province of Hesse-Nassau), Germany, on March 30, 1855. He was killed by a train at the Decatur Street crossing in Vermilion, Ohio, on

He married first, on to E. M. Margaretha Blattner, born on May 13, 1855; died of scarlet fever on April 28, 1877.

He married second, on to Minnie Davis, born on died on they were divorced on

He married third, on to Mrs. Barbara (Unger) Lang. She was born on 1858; died in Vermilion, Ohio, on 1935. By her marriage to Lang, she had a son Charles, who married Rosa Edith Baatz, daughter of Nicholas and Catherine (Frohlich) Baatz.

Adam changed his surname Frohlich to the English equivalent "Frailey".

His third wife belonged to the Eastern Stars.

No children first two marriages.

CHILDREN: (3d m.)

ANNA FAY	b.	
	d.	
	m.	, Don Lawless
	b.	
	d.	

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